Historical Earthquake Project

EARTHQUAKE: __________________________

NAME: __________________________

PER. __________________________

This project is worth 75 points total. You will select a historical earthquake in class and design an educational iMovie slideshow with an oral presentation to teach the class about your historical earthquake. A typed paper about your earthquake will be turned in on the due date to me. Your project should be factual and fun, so be creative in designing your project. The required items below must be included in the project you turn in.

Typed Portion:
There is no page limit, however, your paper needs to be in essay format; clean, neat, and organized. You must have an introduction, body, and conclusion.

- Name of historical earthquake (3 pts)
- Date and time of earthquake (3 pts)
- Magnitude (3 pts)
- Location of earthquake (need to show on a map) (4 pts)
- Depth of focus (how deep below the surface was this stress released) (3 pts)
- Distance of waves (other cities, states, countries that felt the waves) (3 pts)
- Damage caused (including casualties) (5 pts)
- Other natural disasters that occurred (3 pts)
- Other interesting facts you can share (3 pts)

Total: 30 points

iMovie Slideshow:
Your slideshow needs to flow with your oral presentation

- Slides are long enough for you to explain each one (5 pts)
- Include a picture of mapped location (5 pts)
- Pictures from/about the earthquake (5 pts)
- Organized and neat (3 pts)
- Includes music (2 pts)

Total: 20 points

Oral Presentation:
Needs to go along with slideshow. You need to speak clearly and make eye contact with audience. Information must go along with information I will read in your paper. You may use index cards if needed, but you need to know information if I, or your peers, ask questions. Oral presentation is 10 points total.

Neatness and effort is worth 5 points.
This Grade Sheet must be turned in to me when you are about to present.

__________/5 pts Parent Signature __________________________________________________________________________
I have read the rubric project requirements and I am aware of due dates.

__________/30 pts Typed Earthquake Essay

__________/20 pts iMovie Slideshow

__________/10 pts Oral Presentation

__________/5 pts Neatness

__________/5 pts Creativity- make this a part of you!

__________/75 TOTAL POINTS FOR HISTORICAL EARTHQUAKE PROJECT